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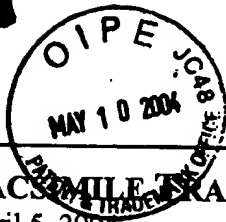
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This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed March 22, 2004, having
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REMARKS

Claims 1-26 are pending. Reexamination and reconsideration are requested in light of the accompanying remarks.

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The rejection of claims 1-26 under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-23 of U.S. Patent No. 6,207,238 has been overcome. A terminal disclaimer accompanies this response.

CONCLUSION

Applicants respectfully submit that, in view of the above response and remarks, the application is now in condition for allowance. Applicants respectfully request that claims 1-26 be passed to allowance.

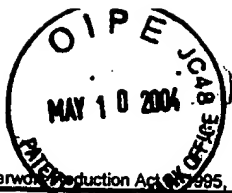
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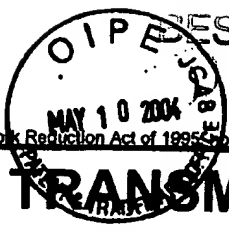
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149 740	249 370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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FEE CALCULATION

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101 740	201 370	Utility filing fee	
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

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Independent Claims -20* = X =

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103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
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Serial No. : 09/811,919
Filed : March 19, 2001
Title : PLASMA ENHANCED CHEMICAL DEPOSITION FOR HIGH AND/OR
LOW INDEX OF REFRACTION POLYMERS
Docket : BAT 0029 IA
Art Unit : 1762

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed August 31, 2001 in the above-identified application, enclosed is a properly signed declaration in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63 identifying the application by the above Serial Number and Filing Date, and the return copy of the Notice.

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We hereby authorize the attorney(s) and/or agent(s) appointed herein to indicate above whether the invention is described and claimed in an attached specification and to provide the Filing Date and Serial No. of the corresponding U.S. Application, if previously filed.

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